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## **RESPONSE TO MAY 2, 2007 OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents:

The Assignee respectfully requests reconsideration and entry of the following amendment in response to the office action mailed May 2, 2007. The Assignee respectfully submits that the pending claims distinguish over the cited documents.